

**THIRD DAY**

(Monday, January 16, 1967)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall	Wilson
Herring	

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, January 12, 1967, was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

**Leaves of Absence**

Senator Hall was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Word.

Senator Wilson was granted leave of absence for today on account of a death in the family on motion of Senator Patman.

Senator Herring was granted leave of absence for today on account of illness on motion of Senator Creighton.

**Presentation of Guests**

Senator Blanchard by unanimous consent presented as guests of the Senate and of Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith today Mr. and Mrs. John Shropshire, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walter

Wood, Mrs. Preston Smith, and daughter, Jan Smith, to the Members of the Senate.

**House Concurrent Resolution 3 on Second Reading**

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading:

H. C. R. No. 3, In memory of the Honorable R. Wright Armstrong, Jr.

The resolution was read.

By unanimous consent the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

**House Concurrent Resolution 4 on Second Reading**

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading:

H. C. R. No. 4, Inviting the Honorable Dean Rusk to address a Joint Session of the 60th Legislature in the House of Representatives at 11 o'clock a.m. on January 26, 1967.

The resolution was read.

By unanimous consent the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted.

**Resolution Signed**

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 1, Providing for a committee to canvass the votes for Governor and Lieutenant Governor at a Joint Session and for a committee to arrange for their inauguration.

**Senate Bill 1 on Second Reading**

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rules 13, 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 1 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin Bates

Bernal	Jordan
Berry	Kennard
Blanchard	Mauzy
Brooks	Moore
Christie	Parkhouse
Cole	Patman
Connally	Ratliff
Creighton	Reagan
Grover	Schwartz
Hardeman	Strong
Harrington	Wade
Hazlewood	Watson
Hightower	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall	Wilson
Herring	

The President then laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment the following bill:

S. B. No. 1, A bill to be entitled "An Act making voter registration lists for the voting year of 1966 the controlling lists for run-off elections held during February, 1967; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read the second time and was passed to engrossment.

#### Senate Bill 1 on Third Reading

The Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days having been suspended the President laid S. B. No. 1 before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read the third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall	Wilson
Herring	

#### Resolutions Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the captions had been read, the following enrolled resolutions:

H. C. R. No. 5, Requesting that all State offices be closed, beginning at 11:30 o'clock a.m. on January 17, 1967, so that all State officials and employees may witness the Inaugural Ceremony.

H. C. R. No. 6, Instructing the State Board of Control to close all entrances to the Capitol Grounds to motor vehicles on January 17, 1967.

H. C. R. No. 7, Providing that the expenses of the inauguration be paid out of the Contingent Expenses Fund of the 60th Legislature.

H. C. R. No. 8, Inviting the Honorable John Connally, Governor of the State of Texas, to address a Joint Session on January 18, 1967, at 11:00 o'clock a.m.

#### Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,  
Austin, Texas,  
January 16, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. B. No. 1, Appropriating Five Hundred Thousand Dollars to the House of Representatives and Two Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars to the Senate for per diem, other salaries and wages, consumable supplies and materials, current and recurring operating expenses, capital outlay, repairs and renovations to capitol, other necessary expenses, and for operations of the Legislative Council; and declaring an emergency.

H. C. R. No. 1, Relating to the Joint Rules of the 60th Legislature of the State of Texas.

H. C. R. No. 9, Congratulating the Pirates of Granbury High School and their coaches and sponsors.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

**Motion to Adjourn**

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate agreed to stand adjourned at the conclusion of the Joint Session until 11:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

**Joint Session**

(To Count Votes for Governor and Lieutenant Governor)

The President announced that the hour for the Joint Session of the two Houses to count the votes for Governor and Lieutenant Governor pursuant to the provisions of S. C. R. No. 1 had arrived.

Accordingly, the Senators present accompanied by the Secretary of the Senate and the Sergeant-at-Arms, repaired to the Hall of the House of Representatives at 11:00 o'clock a.m.

The Senators were announced at the Bar of the House and were admitted and escorted to seats already prepared for them along the aisle.

The Presiding Officer (Senator Reagan in the Chair) by invitation of the Speaker of the House, occupied a seat on the Speaker's Stand.

The Presiding Officer called the Senate to order and announced a quorum of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House announced the purpose of the Joint Session.

A quorum of the House was announced present.

Speaker Barnes then requested the tellers appointed pursuant to the provisions of S. C. R. No. 1 to come forward and receive the returns of votes cast for Governor and Lieutenant Governor at the General Election, which returns had been duly delivered by the Secretary of State to the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Senators Reagan, Blanchard, Wade, Hightower, and Grover, on the part of the Senate, and Representatives Murray, Shannon of Tarrant, Solomon, Scoggins of El Paso, and Quilliam, on the part of the House, then received the returns and proceeded to count the votes cast for Governor and Lieutenant Governor at the last General Election.

**At Ease**

At 11:07 o'clock a.m. the Speaker announced that the Joint Session would stand At Ease pending the counting of the votes.

**In Legislative Session**

The Speaker of the House called the Joint Session to order at 12:55 o'clock p.m.

(Senator Word in the Chair.)

When the count was completed, the tellers presented the following report, which was read to the Joint Session:

Austin, Texas

January 16, 1967

Honorable William N. Patman, President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

Honorable Ben Barnes, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, the Joint Committee of Tellers appointed by the presiding officers of the Senate and House of Representatives to canvass the votes cast at the last general election held in the State of Texas on November 8th, 1966, for Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Texas, as shown by returns delivered to us by the Secretary of State, beg leave to report that we have performed that duty and that the result of our canvass is as follows:

There were votes cast for Governor as follows:

John Connally, Democratic Party, 1,037,517.

T. E. Kennerly, Republican Party, 368,025.

Tommye Gillespie, Constitutional Party, 10,454.

Bard Logan, Conservative Party, 9,810.

Others, 55.

There were votes cast for Lieutenant Governor as follows:

Preston Smith, Democratic Party, 1,003,237.

Kellis Dibrell, Republican Party, 392,164.

William A. Johnson, Constitutional Party, 14,400.

Others, 4.

Respectfully Submitted,

BLANCHARD  
GROVER  
HIGHTOWER

REAGAN  
WADE  
For the Senate  
MURRAY  
SCOGGINS  
SHANNON  
of Tarrant  
SOLOMON  
QUILLIAM

For the House of Representatives

Whereupon the Speaker of the House made the following announcement:

Honorable John Connally, having received the highest number of votes cast, I, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of the State of Texas, declare him duly, legally and constitutionally elected Governor of the State of Texas for the ensuing term of two years; and Honorable Preston Smith, having received the highest number of votes cast, I, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of the State of Texas, declare him duly, legally and

constitutionally elected Lieutenant Governor of the State of Texas for the ensuing term of two years.

**Welcome Resolution**

S. R. No. 19—By Senator Blanchard: Extending welcome to Mr. and Mrs. John Shropshire, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood, Mrs. Preston Smith, and Miss Jan Smith.

**Adjournment**

The Presiding Officer (Senator Word in the Chair) announced at the conclusion of the Joint Session that the purpose of the Joint Session having been concluded, the Senate at 12:59 o'clock p.m. would stand adjourned until 11:00 o'clock a.m. on tomorrow by motion previously adopted by the Senate.

**Sent To Governor**

**January 16, 1967**

**S. C. R. No. 1**

# In Memory of William Lockhart Clayton

Senator Cole offered the following resolution:

(Senate Concurrent Resolution 3)

Whereas, Texas, the nation and the world have lost a great leader and statesman in the death of William Lockhart Clayton at his home-city of Houston on February 8, 1966, at the age of eighty-six years; and

Whereas, Will Clayton, as he was known everywhere, rose from humble beginnings, and after little formal education, to become by his own efforts, the principal founder and developer of the Houston based world-wide business enterprise of Anderson, Clayton & Co., the largest cotton-merchandising organization in history, which has contributed and still notably contributes to the development and prosperity of all Texas, and especially the Port of Houston; and

Whereas, Having established this great enterprise, Will Clayton left it during both of the two World Wars to serve his country, first in World War I as an official of the War Industries Board, and secondly, in, before and after America's entry into World War II, as Deputy Co-ordinator of Latin American Affairs (1940) and thereafter successively for seven years as Assistant Secretary of Commerce, Surplus War Property Administrator, Assistant Secretary of State and Under-Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, in which latter capacity he proposed the Marshall Plan in a memorandum handed to Secretary of State, George Marshall, on May 27, 1947, ten days before Marshall's famous speech at Harvard on June 5; and

Whereas, After retirement from regular government service in 1947, at the age of sixty-seven, Will Clayton continued to serve his country, by heading the U. S. Delegation to the International Trade Conference at Havana in 1948, which resulted in agreement on the International Trade Organization Charter, later submitted to, but failing of ratification by Congress and thereby failing of ratification by the other participating nations; and

Whereas, Again called upon for public service in 1961, he wrote jointly with former Secretary of State, Christian Herter, for congressional use, the Herter-Clayton Report on the Expansion of United States Trade, which became the basis of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962, and thus the foundation of the "Kennedy Round" of international tariff negotiations; and

Whereas, In 1962, at the age of eighty-two, he again served his country by heading, jointly with former Secretary of State Herter, the United States Delegation to the Citizens' Convention on NATO at Paris, resulting in the Declaration of Paris, which called for a special governmental commission to study the development of an Atlantic Community adequate to the political, military and economic challenges of this era; and

Whereas, Will Clayton was a generous financial benefactor of an extraordinary number of charitable and educational enterprises, not merely in Houston and Texas, but throughout the nation, including the Library of the University of Texas, which he aided in its first large purchase of distinction in decades, to wit, the Parsons Collection, and including also Johns Hopkins University (of which he was a trustee); the Clayton Center of International Finance of Tufts University, Texas Southern University (of which he served several years as a Director); and the foundation for Texas benevolences known as The Clayton Fund, to which latter he bequeathed the bulk of his considerable estate; and

Whereas, The life of Will Clayton is an inspiring example—first, of the gentle and polite Southerner who could easily hold his own with the great and near-great of any other state or nation; secondly, of the good that can be accomplished under the American way of life by even the poorest citizen of high character and devotion to his work; and lastly, of how strong moral principle, personal dignity and extraordinary achievement may yet go hand-in-hand with an altogether democratic, patient and kindly nature; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That this Resolution stand in memory of Texan William Lockhart Clayton, great businessman, statesman, philanthropist and gentleman-author of the Marshall Plan and benefactor of humanity.

COLE  
BROOKS

Signed—Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith; Aikin, Bates, Bernal, Berry, Blanchard, Christie, Connally, Creighton, Grover, Hall, Hardeman, Harrington, Hazlewood, Herring, Hightower, Jordan, Kennard, Mauzy, Moore, Parkhouse, Patman, Ratliff, Reagan, Schwartz, Strong, Wade, Watson, Wilson, Word.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Grover and by unanimous consent the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

On motion of Senator Cole and by unanimous consent the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

**In Memory of**  
**Dr. Thomas L. Royce**

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Senator Grover offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 18)

Whereas, The death of Dr. Thomas L. Royce on Sunday, January 8, 1967, at the age of 52, was a great loss to the people of Texas; and

Whereas, This outstanding ophthalmologist, who was chief of eye service in three Houston hospitals—Hermann, M. D. Anderson and Southern Pacific—was also chairman of eye service for the Texas Post Graduate Medical Assembly, and his professional ability was recognized throughout the nation; and

Whereas, Dr. Royce was president of the Harris County Medical Society in 1962, and was an advocate of the mass polio immunization which virtually halted the spread of the disease in Harris County; and

Whereas, He was a native of Isola, Mississippi, but had lived in Houston for 22 years; he was a member of the Texas and American Medical societies, the Doctors' Club, Houston Club, River Oaks Country Club and a number of other organizations and professional and social fraternities; and

Whereas, Dr. Royce was a devout Catholic, a member of Saint Ann's Catholic Church, in Houston; and

Whereas, The Senate of the 60th Legislature wishes to recognize Dr. Royce for his contributions to his profession and for his service to the thousands whose sight was saved and improved through his exceptional ability and interest; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the State of Texas adopt this Resolution in tribute to Dr. Thomas L. Royce; and, be it further

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution be prepared for his wife; for his daughter, Marie Elaine Royce; and his two sons, Thomas L. Royce, Jr., and Benn Lockett Royce, of Houston, to whom the Senate extends its sincere sympathy for their great loss.

The resolution was read and was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.